

REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

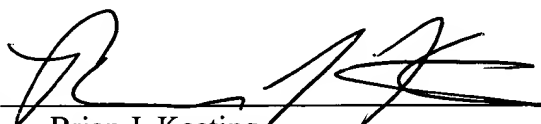
The present amendment, includes a number of minor typographical type amendments to pending claims to improve the form of the claims. It is respectfully submitted that none of amendments herein change the scope of the claims. Thus, entry of the present amendment is respectfully requested.

Additionally, it is noted that the Notice of Allowance indicated that the originally filed figures (filed Aug. 21, 2000 were acceptable). However, the figures filed on Aug. 21, 2000, were informal drawings; thus a copy of replacement figures are provided herewith, as attachments which were included with a Submission of Replacement Formal Drawings and mailed to Box Issue Fee, Attention Draftsperson (with replacement sheets). It is respectfully requested that these replacement figures be used to replace the earlier filed figures.

Respectfully submitted,

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Amendments to the Drawings:

The attached copy of replacement sheets of drawings do not substantively change the previously filed Figures, but are provided as replacement Figures to improve the form of the Figures. The replacement sheets include Figs.1-20, and replace the original sheets including Figs. 1-20.

Attachment: Copy of Submission of Replacement Drawings (with formal replacement sheets)